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I am amazed at the leniency of the settlement proposed. It is evident that Microsoft have flagrantly disregarded the law in building a dominant monopoly position.

It is also clear that the settlement in no way adequately prevents the company from using its monopoly power again, and it is doing so as much as it can.

The key architect Bill Gates should be banned from any executive involvement. The company should be split up.

Just because the original judge was foolish enough to breach protocol does not mean his remedies were wrong and that the American people and the world should suffer the predatory pricing and other actions that this company has at the root of its culture.

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